Southwestern Indiana Historical Society Collection

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Organizational history:

The Southwestern Indiana Historical Society in Evansville came into being on 9 January 1920, primarily through the efforts and civic leadership of Mrs. Emily Orr Clifford. The Society comprises historical information for eight counties: Posey, Gibson, Vanderburgh, Warrick, Spencer, Pike, Perry, and Dubois. The Southwestern Indiana Historical Society is still in operation today under the leadership of Robert Spear.

Source:

"Historical Societies of Indiana." Indiana Historical Society. 7 Sept. 2005 http://www.indianahistory.org/ihs/societylist.html.

Iglehart, John I. "An Account of Vanderbaugh County from its Organization." Logan Esarey, ed. <u>History of Indiana:</u>

<u>From its Exploration to 1922.</u> Vol. 3. Dayton, OH: Dayton Historical Publishing Company, 1923. 18. Murlock, James E. The Evansville Story. Evansville, IN: Evansville College, 1956. 177.

Scope and Content Note:

This collection contains a variety of historical and biographical pieces about the people and localities that fall under the purview of the Southwestern Indiana Historical Society.

Folder Listing:

Folder

- 1. Biographical Sketches
- 2. Local Church Histories: William Jaquess Battle of Chickamauga Memoir
- Local and Regional Histories
- 4. Biography of Senator Benjamin Rose Edmonston
- 5. Southwestern Indiana Historical Society; Abraham Lincoln

Collection Information:

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